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The withdrawal of the appeal as to claims 1-8, 10-28, 79-81 and 91-96 operates as an authorization to cancel these claims from the application or reexamination proceeding. See MPEP § 1215.03. Accordingly, these claims are canceled.

Appellant is required to re-write claim 9 in independent form by submitting a new index of claims for the Appeal Brief before application can be presented to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for consideration of the appealed claim.

Applicant is given TWO MONTH or SIXTY DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this communication to correct the deficiency(ies). THE PROVISIONS OF 37 CFR 1.136 DO NOT APPLY TO THE TIME SPECIFIED IN THIS ACTION.

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